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#### Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application mailed November 30, 2004 requiring the submission of replacement drawings, we are submitting herewith fourteen (14) replacement sheets of formal drawings (Figs. 1A-B, 2, 3-1, 3-3,3-4, 3-5, 4, 5A-B, 7A-B, 8, 9A-C) for the above-identified patent application. All fourteen of these replacement sheets were included in the parent application number 09/769,987, which is incorporated by reference into the present application. Moreover, all of these drawings are described in detail in the present application. Therefore, no new matter has been added by the submission of these replacement drawings, and applicants respectfully request entry of same into the present application.

A copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers is also enclosed.



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No fee is believed due; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

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### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
  - The drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwriting, interlineations, folds, and copy marks. See Figure(s) 1A-B,2,3-1,3-3,3-4,3-5,4,5A,7A-B,8,9A-C.

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